GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

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BACKLOG VACANCIES OF SCS AND STS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Prime Minister has written a letter to all Ministries to launch a special recruitment drive to clear the backlog vacancies of SCs and STs;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the progress made in this regard, Ministry-wise, and

(d) the steps taken by the Government to clear the backlog vacancies?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS.(SHRI SURESH PACHOUTU)

(a)to(d): A Special Recruitment Drive was launched by the Government in August, 2004 to fill up the backlog vacancies of SCs and STs. The Prime Minister wrote letters to the Ministers in-charge of all the Ministries / Departments on 9.9.2005 urging them to monitor the progress of the Drive.
Ministry/Department-wise number of vacancies filled is shown in the Annexure.